

# WORKSHOP NOTICE

## Morro Bay Power Plant Project Data Request Workshop (00-AFC-12)

**Purposes:** On January 10, 2001, the California Energy Commission determined the Application for Certification (AFC) for the Morro Bay Power Plant Project (MBPP) to be data adequate. Energy Commission staff has begun its data-request phase and, on February 7, issued data requests to the Applicant. The topics of the data requests are air quality, alternatives, biological resources, cultural resources, efficiency, geology, land use, noise, reliability, socioeconomics, soil and water resources, traffic and transportation, transmission system engineering, visual resources and waste management. The main purpose of the workshop is to discuss and explain staff's data requests. Other agencies, intervenors and the public are encouraged to participate with questions and comments.

**When:** **Wednesday, February 21, 2001** (Primary Topics: Noise, Traffic and Transportation, Land Use, Alternatives, Biological Resources, Soil and Water Resources)

**Thursday, February 22, 2001** (Primary Topics: Socioeconomics, Visual Resources, Air Quality, Cultural Resources, Efficiency, Reliability, Geology, Transmission System Engineering and Waste Management)

**Location:** **Morro Bay Community Center** (both days)  
**Multi-Purpose Room**  
**1001 Kennedy Way**  
**Morro Bay, California 93442** (*see map on reverse*)  
**(805) 772-6261**  
*This location is wheelchair accessible.*

**Time:** **4:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.** (both days)

**Project Summary:** Duke Energy LLC proposes to construct and operate MBPP, a 1,200 MW, natural gas-fired, combined-cycle power plant. The proposed site is at the existing 1,030 MW Morro Bay Power Plant site, formerly owned by Pacific Gas and Electric Company, which is located on the coast in the City of Morro Bay, San Luis Obispo County. The project includes the demolition of the current fuel oil tank farm, plant building and 450-foot stacks.

**Public Participation:** For information on how to participate in the Commission's review of the proposed project please contact Roberta Mendonca, the Commission's Public Adviser, at (916) 654-4489, or toll free in California at (800) 822-6228, or by e-mail at [PAO@energy.state.ca.us](mailto:PAO@energy.state.ca.us).



If you require special accommodations, contact Robert Sifuentes, the Energy Commission's Equal Employment Officer, at (916) 654-5004, at least five days prior to the workshop.

Agency Participation: Energy Commission staff encourages attendance by representatives of those agencies that have either direct or indirect interests in the purposes of this workshop.

Questions: General information on the proposed power plant is available on the Energy Commission's website at <<http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/morrobay>>. Inquiries about the project schedule or analysis should be directed to Kae Lewis, Energy Commission Project Manager, at (916) 654-4176, or by e-mail at <[klewis@energy.state.ca.us](mailto:klewis@energy.state.ca.us)>. News media inquiries should be directed to Claudia Chandler, Assistant Director, at (916) 654-4989, or e-mail at <[cchandle@energy.state.ca.us](mailto:cchandle@energy.state.ca.us)>.

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